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PATENT

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

IN RE APPLICATION OF: Luo et al.
APPLICATION No.: 10/606,400
FILED: June 20, 2003
FOR: METHOD FOR DETECTING FOREIGN DNA IN A
HOST GENOME

EXAMINER: UNKNOWN
ART UNIT: 1645
CONFIRMATION No.: 5236

Petition for 1-Month Extension of Time

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Sir:

Applicant petitions for a 1-Month Extension of Time in which to respond to the outstanding Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application, extending the period for response to December 22, 2003.

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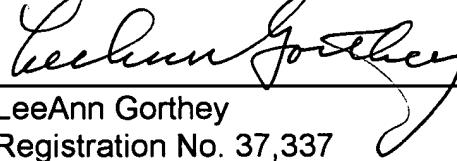
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